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SAMPLE WINGS FOR STUDY

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During the Vortex-Lattice Utilization Workshop, the proposal was made that the same sample wings be studied by all those interested in order to gain an appreciation for the accuracy of the various implementations - both old and new - of the vortex-lattice method. Therefore, two simple wings have been selected for which force, moment, and pressure data are available and they are presented in figures 1 and 2.

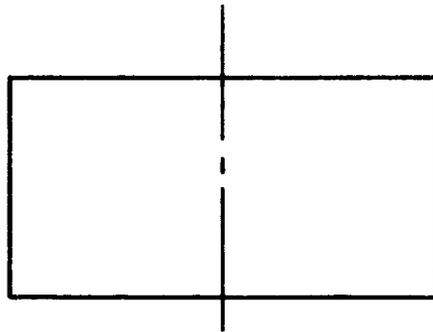


Figure 1.- Aspect-ratio-2 rectangular wing.

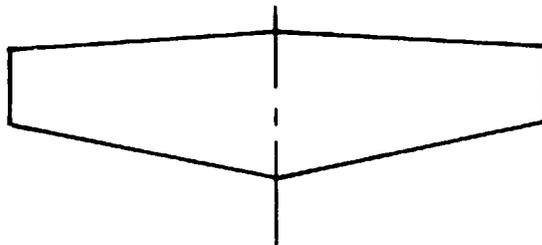


Figure 2.- Aspect-ratio-5 tapered wing. Leading-edge sweep, 3.317° ; trailing-edge sweep, -11.308° ; taper ratio, 0.5.

Data for the aspect-ratio-2 rectangular wing are found in references 1 and 2, and for the aspect-ratio-5 tapered wing in references 3 and 4.

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